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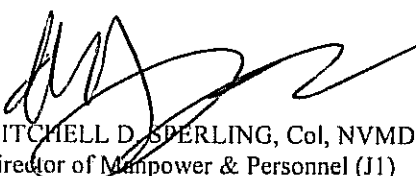
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FEDERAL EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS OPEN SEASON

1. This bulletin is to provide information on FEHB Open Season as well as dates and locations for Health Fairs and is applicable to all technicians eligible for Health Insurance, Dental and Vision Insurance, and Flexible Spending Account programs.
2. Federal regulations require an annual Open Season to be held each year from the Monday of the second full workweek in November through the Monday of the second full workweek in December. For 2010 the Open Season for enrollment is 08 November through 13 December 2010. Changes to FEHB enrollment will take effect 02 January 2011.
3. Dates and locations for the Health Fairs are as follows:
 - a. Carson City (OTAG Drill Floor) – Wednesday 3 November 10 from 1000 – 1130
 - b. Reno (May ANGB Dining Facility) – Friday 5 November 08 from 0730 – 0900
 - c. Stead (AASF Break Room) – Friday 5 November 10 from 0930 – 1030
 - d. Las Vegas (Nellis AFB Family & Readiness Center) – Tuesday 9 November 10 from 1400 – 1600
4. All changes to health insurance are now required to be accomplished online through either the Employee Benefits Information System (EBIS) located at <https://www.abc.army.mil/> or through their Customer Service line at 1-877-276-9287. Registration is required for EBIS. Flexible Spending Account and Supplement Dental and Vision enrollments are accomplished through their respective websites.
5. Useful websites for Open Season
 - a. Office of Personnel Management Insurance Operations: <http://www.opm.gov/insure/index.aspx>
 - b. Plan Comparison Tool: <http://www.opm.gov/insure/health/search/plansearch.aspx>
 - c. Flexible Spending Accounts (Health and Dependent Care): <https://www.fsafeds.com/>
 - d. Supplemental Dental and Vision Plans: <https://www.benefeds.com/>
6. POC for this message is SMSgt Bill Schy at 775-887-7382 or william.schy@us.army.mil.

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